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**AMENDED RESPONSE TO
RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

This Amended Response addresses your Office communication of June 28, 2004. Applicants still elect to prosecute the third species (Figures 22E and 22F) and sixth species (Figure 25). Applicants further elect to prosecute claims 1-3, 6-9, 11, 13, 15-21, 23, 25, 27-32, 35-36 and 39-47, all of which are drawn to methods or apparatus which are described by Figures 22E, 22F and/or 25. Applicants elect to prosecute these claims without traverse, and hereby withdraw claims 4, 5, 10, 12, 14, 22, 24, 26, 33, 34, 37 and 38.

A copy of all pending claims starts in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.